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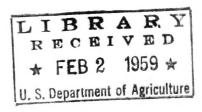
# GATES NURSERY

Hardy Plants from the Black Hills

Rapid City, South Dakota

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# To our Friends and Customers

We wish to thank our many friends and customers who have given us your business in the past thirty-five years. We hope that we will have the pleasure of your business again this spring. We would like to have you contact us for your needs in nursery stock, fertilizers, seeds and supplies.



We would appreciate it very much if you look this price list over now, figure out your needs, and contact us at once, so that we may book your order, making sure that we have the stock at planting time. We will be carrying very little surplus stock, so order now. If you don't find listed what you want, please inform us at an early date, and if possible we will obtain the stock desired. Take advantage of our 10% early discount.

When in doubt as to what, when and where to plant, please get in touch with us. We will only be too glad to help and advise you in any way that we can, without charge. We also furnish you with free plans, where stock is purchased from us. In all orders sent out, you will find a free booklet containing instructions for planting.

Due to the probability of our street being torn up by road construction you are invited to either phone your order in for free delivery or call for directions as to the best way to reach our Nursery.

Sincerely,

E. A. Gates

# **GUARANTEE**

Any stock reported dead within thirty days after planting, will be replaced free of charge. Either return stock or ask for inspection.

#### **PLANTING**

We do a certain amount of planting for our customers who live in and around Rapid City. Planting charges are 1/3rd above cost of nursery stock, with the exception of evergreens, which will be 20% above cost, and hedge plants at an average cost of 25¢ per running foot of trench. An additional charge is made for top dirt and fertilizer where it is required. Lawn work is figured at 2-3¢ per sq. ft., including grass seed, fertilizer and the raking necessary for finished lawns. Grading and top soil additional. The cost of top soil runs about 1¢ per sq. ft. for each inch soil added.

# SPECIAL OFFER

Where order amounts to \$10.00 or more, you may deduct 10% from List Price, where cash is paid in full with order. This offer is good until April 1st.

# DELIVERY

Early orders will be given first consideration on large or select stock, which will be labeled or set aside. Free delivery on early orders, by truck, if within a radius of 100 miles of Rapid City, at the proper time. Where orders have to be shipped, they will go C. O. D., unless cash has been paid in advance and then stock will be prepaid to destination, except on balled and burlapped stock and fertilizer, which will be shipped collect. Free delivery in Rapid City anytime.

# SALES TAX

Please include 2% State Sales Tax on all orders mailed in, We give S & H Green Stamps on request.



## SHADE TREES

Most suitable for the Northwest

AMERICAN ELM - Hardy native tree. Suitable for shade and parkways.

Price: 6-8 ft. \$3.00 ea. \$25.00 for 10

LAKE CITY ELM (HYBRID) - Grafted. Fast growing, upright habit.

Price: 6-8 ft. \$4.00 ea. 10 for \$35.00 1 1/2 - 2 in. cal. \$10.00 ea. 2 for \$19.00

CHINESE ELM - Hardy and fast growing

Price: 4-5 ft. Transplant \$1.00 ea. 10 for \$9.00 8-10 ft. \$3.50 ea. 10 for \$30.00

SOFT MAPLE - Fast growing and attractive.

Price: 8-10 ft. \$5.00 ea.

11/2 - 2 in. cal. \$10.00 2 for \$19.00

NORTHWEST POPLAR - Fast growing, spreading branches, suitable for high altitudes.

Price: 4-5 ft. \$1.00 ea. 10 for \$9.00 8-10 ft. \$3.50 ea. 10 for \$30.00 10-12 ft. \$5.00 ea. 10 for \$45.00

#### **ORNAMENTAL TREES**

NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW - Yellow bark and leaves. Branches drooping.

Price: 4-5 ft. \$1.50 ea. 6-8 ft. \$5.00 ea.

CUT-LEAF-WEEPING BIRCH - Most attractive of the ornamentals. Paper bark.

Price: 5-6 ft. \$6.00 ea.

BOLLEANA POPLAR - Upright growing habit, silver foliage.

Price: 4-5 ft. \$1.75 ea. 10 for \$15.00 8-10 ft. \$4.50 ea. \$40.00 for 10

LOMBARDY POPLAR - Similar to Bolleana except foliage green.

Price: 5-6 ft. \$1.20 ea. 10 for \$10.00 10 for \$15.00

CRIMSON KING MAPLE - (Patented) - Leaves stay red all summer.

Price; 5-6 ft. whips \$6.00 ea.

MOUNTAIN ASH - Fern like leaf, white flowers, red berries.

Price: 6-8 ft. \$7.00 ea.

HOPA CRAB - Beautiful ornamental, dark pinkflowers in May

STRATHMORE CRAB - Similar to Hopa except tree more upright.

Prices of above two: 5-6 ft. \$3.50 ea. 6-8 Ft. heavy \$5.00 ea.

THORNLESS HONEY LOCUST - Podless, grafted, fern like foliage.

Price: 5-6 ft. \$5.00 ea.

#### **HEDGING & WINDBREAKS**

When planting for a clipped hedge, the plants should be planted about 12 inches apart. For windbreaks the plants should be spaced from 4 to 6 feet apart. Instructions with each order received.

HONEYSUCKLE - White flowers with red berries in fall.

Price 18-24 in. branched. \$8.00 for 25 plants \$29.00 per 100.

PRIVET EUROPEAN-Dark foliage, makes a good dense hedge.
Price: Same as for Honeysuckle. Same size.
COTONEASTER-One of the best low-Trimmed.

Price: Same as for Honeysuckle. Same size.

GINNALA MAPLE-Extremely Hardy. Small maple leaf. Red in fall.

Price: Same as for Honeysuckle. Same size.

CARGANIA ARBORESCENS-Tall growing. Light green foliage, hedge or windbreaks.

Price: 18-24" \$3.00 for 25 \$10.00 per 100.

RUSSIAN OLIVE-Fast growing. Light green foliage. Good windbreak stock.

Price: 12-18" Same as for Cargania.

CHINESE ELM SEEDLINGS - A quick hedge or windbreak.

Price: 12-18" \$1.50 for 25. \$5.50 per 100.

2-3 ft. \$3.00 for 25. \$10.00 per 100.

#### **SHRUBS**

SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI-2-3' Common white bridal wreath.

SPIREA FROEBEL-18-24". Dwarf variety. Profuse blooms of deep pink.

SPIREA BLUE MIST-18-24". Fall blooms of sky blue.

COTONEASTER ACUT. -2-3'. Glossy green leaves.

BARBERRY-Red leaf, dwarf. 12-18"
Prices of above var. \$1.00 ea. 10 any asst \$9.00.

HYDRANGIA ARBORESCENS-18-24" White cluster flowers. Likes shade.

HONEYSUCKLE ZABEL-Bright red blooms in spring. Red berries in fall.

TAMARIX- 2-3' Silvery foliage. Pink blooms.

LILAC COMMON-Purple-Old fashioned hardy variety. 3 ft. clumps.

LILAC PERSIAN-Purple-Blooms on young plants. 3' clumps

FORSYTHEA SPECTABILIS-Yellow flowers, early.

Prices of above varieties \$1.50 each.

\$13.50 for asst. of 10

SNOWBALL-Common. White balls of flowers in summer Price: 2-3' \$2.00

MOCK ORANGE & SNOW FLAKE var. Double white, profuse bloomers.

Price: 2-3' \$2.00.

PRUNUS CISTENA-Purple-leaved plum. Pink flowers in spring Price: 2-3' \$2.00 ea.

PRUNUS TRILOBA-Rose Tree of China. Double rose-like flowers in May.

Price 2-3' \$2.00 ea.

FRENCH LILAC-Varieties in Double white; double pink; double red and blue.

Price \$2.00 ea. 4 varieties for \$7.00.

POTTED STOCK-----Cost 50¢ to \$1.00 more depending on size of pot.

#### **EVERGREEN TREES AND SHRUBS**

BLACK HILLS SPRUCE-Native. State tree of South Dakota Price 12-18" \$2.50 ea. Potted

30-36" \$6.00 ea. B.B.(Balled & Burlapped) 36-48" \$10.00 ea. B.B.

COLO. BLUE SPRUCE: 30-36 in. B.B. \$16.50 ea.

BLACK HILLS PINE-Pinus Ponderosa. Native pine.

Price 3-4' \$6.00 ea. B.B. 5-6" \$10.00 ea. B.B.

UPRIGHT OR PYRAMID JUNIPERS

SILVER OR JUN. SCOPULORUM-Silver-green.

30-36" \$10.00 ea. B B.

JUN. VIRG. RED CEDAR:

24" Av. Pot. or B.B. \$4.00 ea.

JUN. SEOP. MONTANA - Grafted. Dark Green. 30-36" \$12.50 ea. B.B. 3 1/2 - 4 ft. \$14.75 B.B.

SPREADING OR BUSH EVERGREENS

PFITZER JUNIPER-Light green.

Price: 12-18" \$5.00 ea. Potted 24" \$9.50 ea. B.B.

SAVIN JUNIPER-Dark green.

Prices and sizes Same as for Pfitzer.

DOG GUARDS

(for evergreens)

Price 24" diameter 16" high \$1.25 ea. 36" diameter 20" high \$1.85 ea.

#### FRUIT TREES

APPLES
YELLOW TRANSPARENT - High quality, summer variety. MINJON - Similar to Jonathan only superior. WEALTHY - Old standard, good quality fall apple. McINTOSH - Red, fall and winter variety. Best quality. PRAIRIE SPY - One of best all-round apples. WHITNEY CRAB - Large red crab apple, early fall. DOLGO CRAB - Bright red jelly Crab. Tree ornamental. Price: 5-6 ft. \$2.50 ea. 10 or more @ \$2.00 ea.

DWARF APPLES

You can now have a dwarf apple orchard of varieties suitable for this climate. Take up small space and easy to pick.

VARIETIES: Beacon - early red. Yellow Transparent. Wealthy and McIntosh.

Prices dwarf trees: 3-4 ft. \$1.75 ea. 4 for \$6.00

QUARDUPLET APPLE TREES (4 varieties on one tree)

On Red Delicious, Beacon, Yellow Transparent & Jonathan.

Potted trees: 5-6' \$5.00 ea.

PLUM TREES

SUPERIOR - Large, yellow red. High Quality. UNDERWOOD - Extremely hardy. Large red. 5-6 Ft. \$2.50 ea.

CHERRY TREES

MONTMORENCY - Hardy, large red fruit.

Price 3' \$2.50 ea.

METERIOR - Large improved type of old sour cherry. Hardy & Prolific.

Price: 3' \$3.00 ea.

SMALL FRUIT

RED LAKE CURRANT - Best of the large red varieties.

Price 3 yr. old 75¢ ea. 10 for \$6.50

PICKWELL GOOSEBERRY - Best long-stemmed, large round type.

Price: Large plants \$1.00 ea. 10 for \$9.00 BETA GRAPE - Hardy and thrifty. Fien for jelly and wine.

FREDONIA GRAPE - Earlier than concord and better quality. Price for grapes 75¢ ea. 10 for \$6.50

LATHAM - Best and hardiest of the red.

Prices for Raspberries: 3 for \$1.10, 12 for \$3.50 25 for \$5.50

STRAWBERRY PLANTS - Improved Gem, Superfection and Streamliner.

> Prices: 25 plants \$2.25 50 for \$3,50 100 for \$6.50

MARY WASHINGTON ASPARAGUS - Best of the rust-proof

Price: LARGE ROOTS:

12 for \$1.45 25 for \$2.75

RHUBARB - Large Canadian red - Best of the large red.

Price: \$1.00 each div. 10 for \$9.00

ROSES

All 2 yr. Large Plants HYBRID TEA and EVERBLOOMING

CRIMSON GLORY - Velvet crimson

PICTURE - Velvety Rose-Pink.

GOLDEN RAPTURE - Golden Yellow, long stems.

K. A. VICTORIA - Double snowy white.

PRES. H. HOOVER - Two-tone, yellow & pink.

Prices of above: \$1.35 ea. 6 for \$7.50 Potted 50¢ extra,ea.

PATENTED ROSES

WHITE KNIGHT - No. 1359 Long stem, prefect white rose. H.T. AARS 1958 award . Price: \$3.00

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL - No. 1169 Outstanding rich red tones. H. T. AARS 1953 award. Price: \$2.50

FUSILIER - FLORABUNDA (Pat. Applied for) Rich orange red. Blooms in cluster. AARS 1958 award. Price: \$2.50 ea.

GOLD CUP - FLORABUNDA - No. 1683. Golden-yellow, that holds color. AARS 1958 award. Price: \$2.50

IVORY FASHION - FLORANBUNDA - No. 1688. Long stems, four inch flowers. AARS 1959 award. Price: \$2.75

CLIMBING ROSES

GOLDEN SHOWERS - Pat. No. 1457 Everblooming 3-4" yellow. AARS award 1957. Price: \$2.75

BLAZE - Improved type, everblooming rich red. \$1.65 ea.

WHITE DAWN - Everblooming. White. \$1.50 ea.

NEW DAWN - Everblooming. Pink. \$1.50 ea.

VINES

FLAME CLIMBING HONEYSUCKLE-Hardy. Bright red and yellow flowers.

BOSTON IVY-Delicate foliage, beautiful in fall. Clings to cement, stone or brick.

ENGLEMAN IVY-Fast grower. Clings to stone or brick. Price Any of above \$1.20 ex. 6 for \$6.50

CLEMATIS JACKMANII - Large purple flower. Give some protection in winter.

Price \$1.75 ea.

## **SUPPLIES**

#### FERTILIZERS

SHEEP MANURE - Finely pulverized. Practically oderless and free from weed seed. It not only fertilizes but adds the necessary humus to poor and shaley soil. To be used on newly made lawns as well as old lawns which need fertilizing. Use from two to three sacks per 1000 sq. ft. No danger of burning. Can be used with the top soil with the proportion of one part of sheep manure to three or four parts of soil in planting trees and shrubery.

Price \$1,50 per large burlap bag. \$1.35 in 10 bag lots or more.

MILORGAINITE-An organic fertilizer for lawns, trees, shrubs and gardens. No danger of burning. Use about 50 lb. on 1000 sq. ft. lawn. Directions with

> Price 40 lb. bag \$2.85 80 lb. bag \$4.75

GOLDEN VIGERO-Will not burn where properly used. Mineral fertilizer.

Price 50 lb. bag. \$4.29 10 lb. bag. \$1.00 5 lb. bag Rose food 90¢

10-20 Fertilizer concentrate Nitrogen and Phosphates. Helps to enrich poor soils when planting nursery stock. Used for feeding trees and shrubs that are not doing well.

Price: 5 lb. 50¢; 10 lb. 90¢; 80 lb. sack \$7.50

#### SOIL CONDITIONERS

PEAT MOSS - Garden type. For mulching and soil conditioning.

Price: Handy bale - 4 bu. \$3.75 Satchel size - 11/2 bu. \$2.00

TERRA-LITE SOIL CONDITIONER - It is not a fertilizer, but a light mineral which when incorporated within the soil, will make it more friable and easier to work. It will not rot, sour the soil nor injure the plants. Good for winter storage of bulbs.

Price 4 qt. bag 45¢. 1/2 bu. bag. \$1.00 3 1/2 bu. bag. \$2.60

TOP-DIRT SOIL-Good Humus from adjacent Hills area. Price: 50¢ bu. 12 bu. \$5.50 11/2 yard pick-up truck load \$7.50.

#### GRASS SEED

KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS SEED-Heavy.

5 lbs. \$3.25 10 lbs. \$6.00 Price: 70¢ lb.

WHITE DUTCH CLOVER - \$1.05 1b.

DOMESTIC RYE-ANNUAL - 25¢ lb. 10 lbs. \$2.25.

Our BLACK HILLS MIX NO. 1

Contains 60% Kentucky Blue grass seed, balance in Red Fescue, Domestic Rye and White Dutch Clover.

Price Same as Kentucky Blue Grass Seed.

WE GIVE S & H GREEN STAMPS

Also BURPEE'S GRASS SEED in one lb. containers.

Suburban-extra quality Grass seed \$1.45 lb.

#### LILIES

HENRYI-Beautiful orange

REGALE-White shading to yellow

TENNIFOLIUM-Brilliant scarlet red.

TIGER-SINGLE- Old fashioned red stripped.

HYBRID DAY LILLIES-Mixed all colors.

Price 50¢ ea. \$2.25 for five, any asst.

#### PEREN: NIALS

PHLOX-Varieties in the colors of red, white, pink, purple, lavender, salmon.

Price: 60¢ ea. 3 for \$1.50 12 for \$5.50

CUSHION MUNS-Early dwarf. Varieties of pink, white, yellow and red.

Price Same as for Phlox

FALL ASTERS-Dwarf varieties. Late bloomers. Colors in blue, white, red and pink.

Price Same as for Phlox

DELPHENIUM-Improved Belamossa, deep blue. Cleveland Beauty, light pink. Price Same as for Phlox.

LYTHRUM-Bloom all summer, grow to 3-4 ft. Morden Gleam, red. Morden pink, blooms all summer. Price 75¢ ea. \$6.50 for 10.

POTTED PERENNIALS COST 25¢ EXTRA EACH.

#### **PEONIES**

(Packaged)

RED SHADES-Felix Crousse, Karl Rosenfield.

PINK SHADES-Sarah Bernhardt, Mme Dickel.

WHITE SHADE-Francis Willard.

Price \$1.15 ea. 3 for \$3.00

BABY BREATH-Grafted Bristol Fairy. Double continuous bloomer.

Price \$1.20 ea.
BLEEDING HEART-Common old fashioned kind. Best in shade.

Price \$1.20 ea.
IRIS VESPER-Everblooming, tall fragrant, violet-purple, with markings.

Price 50¢ ea. \$5.00 dozen

#### SPRING BULBS & TUBERS

GLADIOLA-1 1/2" and up

Spic and Span-Finest commercial pink. Monsouer-Blood red.

Abu Hassan-Large dark purple

Elizabeth The Queen-Rose-lavender.

Margaret Beaton-Pure snow-white, red blotch. Yellow Herald-Amber yellow, carmine throat.

Exhibition Mixture-Mix of the best kinds.

Price 10¢ ea. 12 for \$1.00, 25 for \$1.65 50 for \$3.00 100 for \$5.50

DAHLIA-Large flowering decorative type. Prize winning collection.

> Chataugua Giant-Large orange bluff. Deep Violet-Outstanding color.

Golden Leader-Excellent yellow.

Snowdrift-Pure crisp white.

Jeannette-Purple, white tips.

D. Day-Medium size rich pink.

Price 75¢ ea. 6 for \$4.00

CANNA-In varieties

Pink, red, yellow and orange flowers.

Price 25¢ ea. \$2.75 per dozen any asst.

COMELLIA DOUBLE BEGONIA-Do best in the shade.

Price 50¢ ea. 6 asst. varieties in box \$2.50.